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## SILVER MEN HAVE BOLTED.

Utah Led and Six States Followed Senator Cannon Out of the Convention.

THEY DEPARTED AMID THE HOWLS AND JEERS OF THE TOOLS OF WALL STREET.

Scene of Indescribable Pandemonium When the Bolters Left the Hall.

SENATOR TELLER'S GREAT SPEECH IN BEHALF OF THE WESTERN MINING STATES.

Single Gold Standard Financial Plank That Was Dictated by Wall Street Adopted by the Convention.

The silver men have bolted.

Senator Cannon of Utah went first and the delegations from six States, including Senators Teller and Dubois followed.

The goldbugs howled and jeered.

After Foraker read the report of the goldbug majority of the Committee on Resolutions, Senator Teller rose like a magnificent giant and towering high above the vast concourse of delegates, he presented to the convention the protest of the free silver States.

Every eye was directed steadily at the Colorado statesman as he read, in a voice that rose clear and distinct above the buzz of whispering in the galleries.

When he had finished the protest that had been prepared the night before by himself and other silver States delegates, Senator Teller laid down the typewritten manuscript, wiped the beads of perspiration from his brow, and then in tones so clear and measured that they penetrated to the furthest corner of the hall, he made one final, impassioned appeal in behalf of the great mining States of the far West.

The weight of the corporation load it is carrying is making this convention sway-backed. A log, water soaked, makes slow progress even in turbid waters.

And so with this convention, ostensibly representing the people, really belonging to and owned by the bond dealers and money changers.

The total absence of sustained enthusiasm or relish for the work in hand has been characteristic of the body of delegates.

They lack zest for the work. With the end in sight and with the knowledge that to-day would mark the sensational epoch, there was still paramount in the earlier hours of the third day that dead, dull listlessness.

The growing power of corporations in political affairs was never better demonstrated than by its absolute domination in this convention.

It is not able to rally from the knowledge of this new ownership.

Enthusiasm cannot be manufactured. It will ring genuine.

There has not been a genuine demonstration since the original publication of the compact between the East and the West.

The early morning scene of the third day was not markedly different from that of Wednesday.

Early arrivals were few. Distinguished men postponed their coming until the last minute. Delegations of whole blocks of States were tardy in coming.

There was no incentive to be on the scene.

The machine was carrying out to the letter its deal with capital.

Men who delight in a fight for principle and the victory of the best man knew that everything was planned to run in a narrow groove.

The slightest intimation of a departure from blocked out lines was frowned upon by bosses.

Mark Hanna, the new boss, was in turn controlled by his masters, the real owners of the convention.

As they were pleased or displeased with the work, so was their sentiment reflected in Hanna's attitude.

After 9 o'clock claquers begin to come. The galleries are filling with McKinley servants who are to follow the cue to come from corporation headquarters.

On the floor a dozen delegates, representing nearly as many States, are looking disconsolate and sad-eyed.

Around the platform clusters a group of convention manipulators working under orders.

Thurston, Grosvenor, Bushnell, General Harry Bingham, Scott of West Virginia, Herrick, the banker, Pillsbury, the miller who wants reciprocity—that's a group worth looking over.

It represents fairly well the power behind the throne. Analyze the interests represented.

Glance again over the group. The railroad interests—Thurston; the protected manufacturers, whose dollars poured into Mark Hanna's pockets for the McKinley campaign—Bingham; the great coal and mining interests—Scott; the millionaire bankers and plutocrats of Wall Street—Herrick, the Hanna mouthpiece.

Another group, which has not the personality of this one, yet represents one independent wing which has refused to bow to the golden East, clusters around the stand Colorado delegation.

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lives to come later. Yet, these delegates from Colorado, Utah, Montana, South Dakota and Nevada, are looked upon with respectful appreciation by the boss-ruled men from the East.

If these men were free, they would join them.

But the iron rod of the boss holds them in fear.

The shackles of Wall street are firmly riveted.

It is now nearly 10 o'clock. Only the Keystone State is fully represented on the floor. The followers of Quay who, on Wednesday, asserted their partial independence by refusing to vote with the machine on the contest cases, is in line.

Senator Quay and Governor Hastings are with them. The Senator is looking fresh.

His presidential boom is still enough alive to hold 60 votes for him. Burly Chris Magee, Quay's bitter enemy in Pittsburgh, is given a cold stare as he sits down. Dave Martin comes next. He has been turned down again by Quay for the National Committee.

Ohio is beginning to occupy its seats in the front row.

The big men are still delaying their coming.

Massachusetts and Maine are together. They stand for Reed and gold, and while members of the corporate trust, are yet independent members.

Gen. Lew Wallace and J. N. Thurston of Indiana came in together. The author of "Ben Hur" shakes hands with Uncle Dick Thompson, the veteran of veterans.

Illinois comes to the front with its big four. They are either not recognized or the factious were not told to applaud them.

At 9:55 o'clock the crush arrives.

The band begins to play. As yet not a cheer or a sound has been heard from the floor where the delegates are struggling for place.

Statistcian Grosvenor brings with him to Ohio's seats a half dozen belated Ohioans.

The convention cares nothing for him. It is still cold, half sullen and decidedly unresponsive.

Seats in the gallery are going fast. Thousands are coming in to see the expected fight over the platform.

Cuney, the negro leader of Texas, and J. Edward Addicks, the repudiated gas man of Delaware, plot darkly in a corner.

A distinguished group of national leaders and their wives gather on the Speaker's platform.

to do that which had been planned for it weeks ago.

The conflicting factions from New York are seated without a cheer for either side.

From the galleries the spectators look down upon a ground floor of faces moving about purposelessly and without life.

It is now 10 minutes past the time for opening.

Not a cheer, not a handclap. Not a shout for McKinley, Reed, Morton, Quay or the general good of the cause.

Whoever saw before in a national convention such stupid apathy?

It marks the triumph of capital over party principle.

What is there to applaud? Did the deal with Wall street include applause?

If it did it is not getting the worth of its money from this convention.

When Mark Hanna comes he is all bustle and energy. He confers with chairmen of delegations and gets the latest information.

There is trouble in two or three States. He undertakes to straighten it out.

His red face glows like a carriage lamp in the dusk.

He nods his bullet head vigorously as he gives orders.

From right to left he goes.

The McKinley men are apprehensive.

The silver men may cause them trouble yet.

So in the confusion and turmoil as the delegates crowd and push, Hanna the dictator, shakes his work.

A weak-voiced glee club from Ohio—Buckeye "rooters"—try to sing. The man with the fog horn voice gives them the "view halo" from the south gallery.

Still the crowd up above the delegates is not getting a fair show for its entrance money.

There is nothing but dullness on the floor in spite of the busy efforts of Hanna.

Around Henry Cabot Lodge gathers a group of Reed men. A suspicious McKinley lieutenant from Ohio breaks through the ring.

Hanna's word has gone out to watch every corner.

It is 10:30 o'clock.

The convention is a full half hour late. Now the gavel is heard. Thurston is calling for order.

And thus it is that for the third day of its meeting the convention meets without a ripple or a wave.

Not even the efforts of the band are applauded.

It is to be a short fight between principle and capital. Capital is to win.

When the sell-out was made by the McKinley managers to the Eastern plutocracy, the independent spirits of the West could not be included.

Their convictions were too firmly fixed to be swept away in a night. The domination of capital overshadowing all things else could not get its grip on them.

Free men they came to St. Louis and free men they intend to go away.

As the crisis approached to-day the apathy in the 900 men on the floor was scattered.

Nervous tension supplanted it. Within thirty minutes after the fall of the gavel interest was intense.

As Chairman Thurston recognizes Senator-elect Foraker to present the platform, the first wave of applause rolls over the hall.

The McKinley men, aided by claquers, make a mighty effort to force an ovation.

It will not come.

The intellectual giant of the Buckeye crowd is greeted warmly, but it is not an ovation.

Could McKinley himself wrest it from this cold crowd?

Senator-elect Foraker is training for first place on the Republican ticket in 1900.

His friends count on his work in this convention to give him a long lead in the race.

As he stands before the tremendous crowd in Convention Hall and reads the platform of Wall Street and the tariff barons, 30,000 eyes study him critically. Fifteen thousand persons mark the personality of the man.

Foraker is the strongest man who has yet come before the convention. His commanding figure towers far above the desk on the Speaker's platform.

He has a fairly good voice and rounds the capitalistic periods fully.

As an attorney pleading for united capital, trusts and monopolies he makes an earnest effort for his clients.

Yet two things are fully brought out by Mr. Foraker.

One, that with all the talk of his voice it is not strong enough to fill the hall.

The other, that the presentation of the platform brings out no more enthusiasm than any other proceeding in this machine-made affair.

"Sound money" brings a roar from the Wall street adherents.

The declaration against free silver except by international agreement due for these directing

it is like the monotonous grinding of a mill; as interesting and pulse stirring as a other work



SENATOR TELLER MAKING HIS GREAT SPEECH

## NOMINATIONS HAVE BEGUN.

John N. Baldwin of Iowa Presents the Name of Senator William B. Allison.

HENRY CABOT LODGE THEN ADDRESSED THE CONVENTION IN BEHALF OF REED.

Gov. Morton's Candidacy Urged by the Eloquent Chauncey M. Depew.

FORAKER IS TO CLOSE THE ORATORY IN BEHALF OF MAJOR M'KINLEY.

It Is Thought the Balloting Will Be Reached and Shouting Over To-Night.

After an exciting forenoon the convention cleans away the rubbish. It approaches the point where the candidates for the Presidency are to be made.

At 2 o'clock the flood tide was reached.

The roll call of States was begun. No response was made until Iowa was reached.

Then a man of tremendous build, of husky voice and pleasing address was put forward to name William B. Allison, the choice of the Northwest.

John N. Baldwin reaches the stand at 2:05 p. m.

He punches at once into his subject. The convention is intent and eager. Baldwin has the most magnificent voice of any man yet before the convention. He has not many friends in the convention.

Yet Wm. B. Allison, the smooth man, the man who has been in public life for thirty years and never made an issue between the people and the corporations, is as well known as any man in public life.

But he is not the man of the hour. While Allison is not an enemy of corporations, he is not owned by them.

The protected manufacturers who pour into McKinley's willing hands vast sums of money to buy up this convention do not like Allison.

He would not surrender all his principle. He would not sign blank papers of sale, the claims to be put in by Wall Street.

Thus it came about that even as he came forward to put in elegant language the praises for his man the convention knew how hopeless the case was.

In ten minutes Baldwin had concluded his panegyric.

When Maine was called, Senator Henry Cabot Lodge came forward to speak for the

the big man who started in the race with such bright prospects only to be swamped by the flood of McKinleyism, was hardly second in this hopeless fight.

Only a faint cheer greeted the Secretary Lodge.

He spoke powerfully and with dramatic force.

The best attributes of the New England candidate were clothed in choice English by his Massachusetts friend.

Senator Lodge, the typical Puritan, hewed closely to the lines of truth. He said that this was to be a hard fight. It was to be a party

into a word picture showing the eminent statesman Thomas B. Reed.

But while few cheer, and all listened to Senator Lodge, the majority were awaiting the cue. It was to come when Ohio was called.

Perhaps it was the knowledge of the utter hopelessness that caused a certain lack of fire. On the floor of the Senate Lodge is powerful.

In this convention hall he was not much above the ordinary. Who could talk with spirit and fire against a stone wall?

Towards the close Senator Lodge's voice broke.

When he named the man from Maine, the followers of the Cesar made earnest effort to incite a stampede.

A man with a fog-horn voice in the gallery unrolled a big picture of the Cesar and hoarsely called "there cheers for Reed."

They were given scattering, even weakly.

McKinleyism was too prominent to allow a liberal tribute to an antagonist.

Littfield of Maine, who seconded Reed's nomination, met with no better success than Lodge in creating enthusiasm for his candidate.

Few heard his speech. No applause came for it save from the faithful men from Maine.

Earnestly Littfield pleaded. Impatiently the crowd heard him. They wanted the lay figure of McKinley to be paraded across the stage.

The setting was all for him. The scenery was built for him. Why should the the Roman howl before Wall Street's discovery is put on the boards.

Littfield was the victim of circumstances. He wore a linen coat and spoke hoarsely.

Time was called by the adjacent McKinleyites, but Littfield refused to leave the post of duty.

As he saw it, his duty was to talk for Reed, though the McKinley forces were

running the machine.

The convention grew restless as

McKinley's lieutenants brought in McKinley broods shouters.

ALLISON

John N. Baldwin of Iowa presents the name of Senator William B. Allison.







# SILVER MEN HAVE BOLTED.

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It falls beyond the point of momentarily checking Gov. Foraker's delivery.

It is apparent that it is a strain, both on the part of Foraker and the new powers which control the party.

The galleries, invariably in a convention the most enthusiastic portion of the thousands, received coldly this platform manipulated by the East.

Out in the main body of the hall, where the delegates, there is a wonderful lack of responsive feeling.

Of course, there is applause. It comes frequently. But it is not the kind which thrills and carries by storm everything in its pathway.

A critical study of Mr. Foraker as he stands out, the central figure of the assembly, forces the conclusion that his heart is not in the work.

Mr. Foraker is magnetic and can enthuse where there is room for it.

In this delivery of the Eastern view Mr. Foraker is deliberative and impressive, but never magnetic.

It is a perfunctory duty, performed in a perfunctory way.

The mark of the machine is on the platform and the chairman of the committee which made it.

Foraker concludes at 11:05 a. m.

Then comes Senator Teller of Colorado. He is to present the minority report on silver.

It is the protest of the free Republicans of the West against the surrender of their party to the dominance of the East.

As the well-known figure of the Colorado silver leader is seen on the platform, friends and enemies unite in giving him a splendid greeting.

He is in the enemy's camp, and he knows it.

Senator Teller looks worn and weary. He has been laboring day and night since he came.

As he faces the convention he is cool and collected.

It is the turning point in his political career.

Behind him is a long term of service in the Republican party. Facing him is the issue of allegiance to trusts and repudiation of constituents, or a severance of life-long political with life-long friends and co-workers.

He does not dodge it. When he begins his voice is weak. As he continues it swells in volume.

The contrast between Teller and Foraker is sharp.

The Ohio leader labored without sincerity.

Senator Teller speaks as though his whole heart and full conviction were in it.

The conviction of his sincerity was acknowledged by his enemies—the trusts.

Applause was generally showered between the periods of his plea for silver.

Speakers before him had been given attention perforce.

Senator Teller commanded it by his presence, his earnestness, his dramatic delivery.

Even men who follow the lead of the capitalist powers were compelled to give grudging recognition of his power.

As Senator Teller told the tariff barons and the united trusts that this was the first great gathering of the Republican party which admitted its inability to control the affairs of the country, the first genuine outburst of applause recorded in this convention was given.

As Senator Teller proceeded the situation grew dramatic. The force and earnestness with which he spoke compelled respect from a hostile camp.

As a great war chief defying his enemies, the Colorado silver leader proceeded, powerfully defining the parting of the ways between principle and pelf.

The convention followed every word. When he proclaimed in ringing words that as an honest man he must surrender his allegiance to a party which declared for a single standard, the hisses of the few gallery "rotters" was drowned in cheers for his honest and courageous stand.

Senator Teller declared that in following the course he had mapped out, he was at least maintaining his manhood and his consistency.

Cheers greeted this declaration. They came from men who in their hearts recognized that this was the plain path of duty and there was the one of barter.

When Senator Teller concluded there was a dramatic pause.

Henry Cabot Lodge moved that the minority report be laid on the table.

Colorado demanded a roll call. It was seconded by Montana and Nevada.

# FRIDAY BARGAINS

ON EVERY TABLE, AT EVERY COUNTER, AT EVERY TURN. UNPRECEDENTED PRICES FOR FRIDAY. Every nook and corner bristling with good things. Every head of department is instructed to make a CLEAN SWEEP of everything. Just for TO-MORROW—FRIDAY—we will MAKE THE DAY MEMORABLE AS THE CHEAPEST SALE DAY EVER KNOWN IN ST. LOUIS.

### SILKS.

The stock (a large part) of the Phoenix Silk Mills, Paterson, N. J., bought by us at auction, is an instructed by the firm to make a sweep on Friday. My prices are already lower than any house in St. Louis, but "they" orders if you break owners," so they are cut nearly in two.

Manager Silk Dept.

At 20c—Black Japanese Silks, a very fine quality, 100 yds. each, 25c, Friday Price.

At 35c—Beautiful Brocade and Stripes in Silks, a fine selection of figures, regular price 50c, Friday Bargain.

At 40c—Very handsome Brocade Black India Silks, neat, new designs, and 14 inches wide, regular 75c quality, on sale.

At 60c—Magnificent Brocade Black Gros Grain Silks, fine qualities, beautiful designs, a very handsome skirt or dress pattern, regular 90c quality, a great bargain at 60c.

At 80c—24-inch Brocade Satin Duchesse, very rich and elegant designs and superior quality, regular value \$1.25, Bargain Day price.

### Lawns, Dimities.

2,000 yards Lawns, choice patterns, regular price 3c, Friday Bargain Day Price.

1,500 yards Fine Sheer Lawns, white grounds, colored figures, sprays, etc., regular price 12c, Friday Bargain.

2,000 yards Cordelle's, choice pattern, Persian and Stripes effects, regular price 15c, Friday Bargain.

Day Price.

We have just received the largest delivery of choice Lawns ever made in one lot, all this season's goods, elegant Persian effects, in Dimities, Corded Mulls and Sheer Lawns, nothing that the most fastidious taste demands is wanting, and all at the Friday Bargain Day price.

### Men's Furnishings

100 dozen Men's Boys' and Ladies' Peck, Four-in-hand and Bow Ties, in black and colors, worth 50c, Friday Bargain.

100 dozen Men's Fine French Habergan Shirts and Drawers, white, cream, brown, drab or tan, regular 75c goods, Friday Bargain.

100 dozen Men's Fine French White Wool Sweaters, regular price \$1.25, Friday Bargain.

20 dozen Men's 2-Thread Habergan Shirts or Drawers, in brown or gray mixtures, regular 75c goods, Friday Bargain, 70c per suit.

100 dozen Men's Extra Fine French Percal Shirts, all new patterns, new deep tint collars, regular \$1.25 shirt, Friday Bargain.

### MILLINERY.

White, Fancy Chip, Short Back Hair, this season's popular Hat, stylishly trimmed, with geranium foliage, Velveteen, ribbon, mignonette, Special Friday Bargain.

Infants' Fine Tucked Mull Caps, full lace ruche, multi ties, worth 30c, Special Friday Bargain.

Imported Velvet Shoes, in rich shades, rubber soles, Special Friday Bargain.

### MUSLIN UNDERWEAR.

The offering here is from a lot bought from a prominent eastern manufacturer at about the cost of materials. They should pay the department a handsome profit, but the firm gives me orders to make a sweep on Friday, SO HERE THEY GO.—N. C., Manager of Department.

Lot of Ladies' Night Dresses, good muslin, full size, yokes, worth 50c each, Friday Bargain.

Lot of Ladies' Night Dresses, made of good muslin, full size, yokes, worth 40c each, Friday Bargain.

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### EMBROIDERIES.

An Importer lays down—brought over too many goods—and had not time enough to get them out to pay duties, and so let go at any price. We have his goods at 50c on the dollar.

200 yards Hamburg and Swiss Edgings, 2 1/2 to 3 inches wide, some extra wide, in Swiss, worth up to 15c, Friday Bargain.

3,575 yards of Cambric, Swiss and Valenciennes Edgings, 2 1/2 to 3 inches wide, all different patterns, these goods are worth up to 35c, Friday Bargain.

### HOUSE FURNISHINGS.

500 Gas and Gasoline Ovens worth \$1.25, at 79c.

200 Adjustable Window Screens, for one day only.

Ice Boxes and Refrigerators from \$2.95 up to \$10.00.

All reduced. Gasoline Stoves, worth \$4.50, at \$2.95.

Mexican Hammocks, worth \$1.25, go at 49c.

Just discovered—162 damaged Pictures from the late cyclone, some worth up to \$4.50, your choice at 39c.

### Skirts and Waists

200 Dress Skirts, assorted styles, 59c up.

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44 Fine Silk Cloth, Linen, Grass Linen and White Duck Skirts, 59c up.

50 dozen Cambric and Percale Waists, 59c up.

50 dozen Cambric and Percale Wrappers, 59c up.

100 Misses' Skirts, 29c.

### Wash Fabrics.

125 pieces of Cotton chamois, choice styles, just the thing for hot weather, Friday Bargain sale.

55 pieces of Grass Cloths, in stripes and figures, well worth 12c a yard.

40 pieces of 36-inch Shirting Percale, warranted fast color, Friday Bargain sale.

115 pieces of Tailor-Made Suits, in tan, gray, blue and green effects, also in black and white checks, regular 15c quality, Friday Bargain sale.

### Silk Mitts.

Pure Silk Mitts, 10 inches long, worth 20c per pair, at 10c.

Pure Silk Mitts, 10 inches long, worth 20c per pair, at 15c.

### BLACK GOODS.

15 pieces 40-inch All-Wool and silk crepps, dots and stripes, worth 60c.

2 cases Fine Unbleached Sheetings.

### HANDKERCHIEFS.

300 dozen Fine Linen Handkerchiefs, worth 10c.

100 dozen Fine Linen Handkerchiefs for Men, initialled, worth 25c.

200 dozen Fancy Lawn Handkerchiefs for Children, sold.

### LACES.

150 pieces Point Venise, Point d'Irlande and Net Lace, in cream, white and butter, 20 to 30 in. wide, worth up to 85c, Friday Bargain.

240 pieces Point d'Irlande, Valenciennes, Point Venise and Fine Oriental Laces, over 60 different patterns, these goods are worth from 50c to 65c, Friday Bargain.

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## CONVENTION PROCEEDINGS.

### Senator Foraker Read the Platform Declaring Against Silver.

CONVENTION HALL, ST. LOUIS, June 18.—The third and probably the last day of the convention began at 10:30, when, in response to the gavel's rap, the delegates arose for the prayer.

The officiating minister was Dr. John R. Root of Jacksonville, Fla., the second colored pastor who has conducted the devotional prelude. Although Dr. Root's voice was a strong one, so great was the confusion of entering delegates and spectators, it could be told only from the movement of the minister's lips that he was praying.

Then the first opportunity for the delegates to use their voices, fresh after a night's rest, was afforded when Chairman Thurston, without any preliminary, plunged into business by announcing that the first thing on the program was the report of the Committee on Resolutions, and called for "Senator-Elect Joseph B. Foraker of Ohio."

Senator Foraker crowded to the front and climbed the steps to the stage while the delegates and spectators, who had gathered in pairs of spectacles upon his solitary figure, waited for a moment the same dumb show of a man talking which the colored minister had given until the cries of "Louder" and "Order" from the galleries impelled him to a stronger voice effort.

The audience and delegates followed the reading with intense interest. The reference to the administration of Benjamin Harrison evoked the first demonstration, but the first opportunity for the delegates to use their voices, fresh after a night's rest, was afforded when Chairman Thurston, without any preliminary, plunged into business by announcing that the first thing on the program was the report of the Committee on Resolutions, and called for "Senator-Elect Joseph B. Foraker of Ohio."

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## THE PLATFORM.

### For Protection, Gold Standard, the Old Flag and Appropriations.

The Republicans of the United States, assembled by their representatives in national convention appealing for the people and historical justification of their claims to the maintenance of the gold standard, the old flag and appropriations.

It was a long and earnestly and confidently as they themselves to the weakened intelligence, experience and common sense of the country in the following declaration:

Even the excitement of a bolt couldn't arouse the delegates for any length of time. This convention, unparalleled in the history of the party, has been a real and resume its listless within a short quarter of an hour.

When scarcely any more interest than had been shown before the bolt, the selection of members of the National Committee was made.

That brought the convention to its interesting period, the nominating of candidates for the Presidency.

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## BEST TRAINS TO KANSAS CITY, ST. JOSEPH, COLORADO, NEBRASKA, MONTANA, PACIFIC COAST.

TO KANSAS CITY, ST. JOSEPH, COLORADO, NEBRASKA, MONTANA, PACIFIC COAST.

SAME RATE AS STANDARD SLEEPERS. DAILY AT 8:45 P. M.

The American people have witnessed the calamitous consequences of full and unrestricted Democratic control of the government. It has been a record of unparalleled incapacity, dishonesty and disaster. In administrative management it has ruthlessly sacrificed indispensable revenue, entailed an unceasing deficit, eked out ordinary current expenses with borrowed money, piled up public debt by \$200,000,000 in time of peace, forced an adverse balance of trade, kept a perpetual menace hanging over the redemption and paved American credit to alien syndicates, and reversed the American standard of living.

In the broad effect of its policy it has precipitated panic, closed the industry and trade with prolonged depression, closed factories, reduced work and wages, and sent millions of our people to the streets of public safety and individual interests demands that the government shall be rescued from the hands of those who have shown themselves incapable to conduct it without disaster at home and dishonor abroad, and shall be restored to the party which for 30 years administered it with unequalled success and integrity.

We denounce the present Democratic administration as a failure, and we demand the restoration of the party which for 30 years administered it with unequalled success and integrity.

WE REPEAT AND EMPHASIZE our allegiance to the policy of protection as the bulwark of American industrial independence and the foundation of American development and prosperity. This true American policy taxes foreign products and encourages home industry; it puts the burden of revenue on foreign goods; it secures the American market for the American producer; it upholds the American standard of wages for the American workman; it puts the factory by the side of the farm and makes the American farmer less dependent on foreign demand and price; it diffuses general thrift and founds the strength of our country on the strength of its industry and its resources. It is a fair and impartial, equally open to foreign control and domestic monopoly; to sectional discrimination and individual favoritism.

We denounce the present Democratic tariff as sectional, injurious to the public credit and destructive to business enterprises. We demand that the tariff be maintained on such a basis as to secure the necessary expenses of the government, but will not furnish adequate revenue for the maintenance of the government.

We are not pledged to any particular schedule, but we believe that a practical question to be governed by the conditions of the time and of restoration of the gold standard and the protection of American labor and industry. The country demands a right settlement, and then it wants rest.

RECIPROCITY.

We believe the repeal of the reciprocity agreements negotiated by the last Republican administration was a national calamity, and we demand their renewal and extension on such terms as will equalize our trade with other nations, remove the restrictions which now hamper the sale of American products in other countries, and secure enlarged markets for the products of our farmers and manufacturers.

FOREIGN RELATIONS.

Our foreign policy should be at all times firm, dignified and all-out. We demand that the United States should be at all times firm, dignified and all-out.

## LETTERS.

Of praise, telling of great benefit from Hood's Sarsaparilla, come in every mail car arriving in Lowell. The keen discrimination of the people long ago settled the question of the comparative merits of blood purifiers, and the million take Hood's Sarsaparilla and only Hood's. The abiding confidence of the people in Hood's Sarsaparilla could only have been secured by its great intrinsic merit.

From the hour of achieving their own independence the people of the United States have regarded with sympathy the struggle of the other American peoples to free themselves from European domination. We watch with deep and abiding interest the heroic battle of the Cuban patriots against cruelty and oppression, and our best hopes go out for the full success of their determined contest for liberty.

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**THE GRAND LEADER'S SALE.**

**75c Corsets for 25c.**  
Regular 75c quality Ventilated and Corsette Corsets (Friday 25c to 50c) only—Friday on second floor at 25c.

**\$1 Table Damask 70c.**  
Very fine bleached Irish satin Table Damask, 2 yards wide, worth \$1.50 a yard, Friday at 70c.

**12c Cambric at 7c.**  
Mill length very fine quality Louisiana Cambric, worth 12c a yard, in basement all day at 7c.

**Specimens of Our Phenomenal... FRIDAY BARGAINS**

**Silk Auction**  
We will offer Friday the following 3 lots below the cost of manufacture.  
Choice of 50 yards Black All Silk Satin Brocades (worth 50c a yard anywhere and everywhere) at 39c.  
Choice of 25 pieces extra heavy quality all Pure Silk at 59c.  
Black Fulle Armures (worth 50c anywhere on earth) at 59c.  
Choice of 24 pieces finest quality Persian Taffeta Brocades, in the high art Ombré Stripes and Checks, light, medium and dark grounds, positively the swiftest thing out this season—all in the latest designs and colorings and without a superior in quality—worth 75c a yard, Friday—and a rare chance it is at—75c.

**Ladies' Waists and Skirts.**  
Ladies' Laundered Waists, of good quality lawn, in the newest Persian collar and detachable sleeves—worth and sold for \$1.25, Friday at 75c.  
Ladies' Dress Skirts, of good quality, extra full sweep, lined with stiffened percale—worth double, Friday at \$1.50.

**Trunks for a Song!**  
A leading St. Louis manufacturer's Cyclone Soiled Trunks, Valises and Bags, on sale Friday at half the cost of manufacture.  
Metal Covered Bottom Trunks, with covered hat box, regular price \$2.50 and \$3.00, going at \$1.19.  
\$2.19 Metal Covered Bottom Trunks, good locks and bolts, worth \$4.00 to \$5.00, going at \$2.19.  
\$5.39 28-inch Canvas Covered, Flat Top, Steel Bound Dress Trunks, with full covered inside tray, worth \$9.00, going at \$5.39.

**Quills.**  
Black only, worth 20c, at 2c.

**HATS.**  
A special lot, with 40c each, at 19c.

**Palms.**  
6 in a bunch, worth 10c, at 9c.

**RIBBONS.**  
Persian effect Ribbons, 3 in. wide, worth 25c a yard, going at 12c.

**Latest Waist Novelty.**  
The latest and swiftest waist now worn in New York is made of dotted Swiss and new linen effects, trimmed with fancy lace bands in delicate colorings. We have a limited quantity of the latest model, four yards of the 36-inch Swiss or linen, with plenty of the lace band for trimming, at \$2.69.  
A special thing in New York costs \$5.00.  
A Special Purchase of 100 pieces 45-in. Flamingo, Fine India Linen, richly embroidered in the newest Irish linen effects and hemstitched, worth up to \$1.50 a yard regularly, will be offered Friday at 50c (per yard).

**Light Knitted Wear.**  
Ladies' Richelieu Ribbed Cotton Vests, with taped necks and arms and lace fronts—cheap at 20c each—Friday at 10c.  
Ladies' Extra Fine Ribbed Vests, in white and ecru—with silk taped necks and arms—worth 17c—Friday at 17c.  
Ladies' Extra Fine Imported Swiss Ribbed Silk Vests, in white, ecru, pink, black and sky—regularly 39c each—Friday at 39c.

**Fine Wash Goods For a Mere Song!**  
Choice of 100 pcs Linen Ground Woven-Striped GRASS LINEN, 80 pcs Linen Ground Woven DOTTED SWISS, 80 pcs LINEN DUCK, in more effects plain color—worth up to \$1.50 each (but some slightly soiled), will be closed out Friday at 72c a YARD.  
Choice of 10 pcs ORGANIE RAYS—Persian effects—lined grounds, 45 pcs wide CHECK OR GANYES—in all the very latest Persian and French designs, some among these fine enough for any occasion—will be closed out Friday at 10c a YARD.  
25 pcs DIMITY, in JAMES—in the handsomest, swiftest design of the season—worth up to 19c a yard—choice of all Friday, 10c a YARD.

**Child's \$1.50 and \$2.00 Dresses for 98c.**  
An assorted lot of Child's Dresses (for ages 1 to 4) of Wool Challie, Zephyr Gingham, Fine Lawns and Crepons, Etc. All prettily trimmed with Embroidery and Lace, and worth up to \$2.00 each (but some slightly soiled), will be closed out Friday at 98c.

**Parasol Sale.**  
Ladies' Fine White and Cream China Silk Parasols, with 6-inch ruffled white enameled sticks and frames, regular price \$1.25—while the Ad last, Friday, at 98c.  
Children's 10 and 12-inch Fancy Satin Parasols—in white, red and sky—a bargain at 75c—Friday at 39c.

**Convention Sale of Curtains, Portieres, Etc.**  
Choice of 1,000 Sample Ends of Point de Esprit and Real Brussels Nets, Irish Pointe, Egyptian, Nottingham and French Gimpure Lace Curtains—some among these fine enough for any occasion—will be closed out Friday at 5c each.  
Choice of 500 one-yard lengths finest quality all-wool Ingrain Carpets, in high-art colorings, including a sale of revers—worth up to 60c each, regularly up to 60c each, Friday at 19c.  
Damask Portieres in a line of rich new colorings, all full size, worth regularly \$1.50 a yard, will be sold Friday at 50c a yard, per pair.

**Groceries.**  
10 lbs. Granulated Sugar 49c  
Standard White Sugar 49c  
1 lb. Ball Armour's Best Lard 33c  
Extra Standard California Scurvy Soap 15c  
Nelson Morris' California Hams, per lb. 7c  
Egg Noodles or Macaroni, per lb. 5c  
Crushed Java Coffee, per lb. 5c

**\$3.75 Table Sets at \$1.98.**  
20 very fine All Linen Table Sets (24 yards cloth and 12 napkins to match), worth \$3.75, Friday for \$1.98.

**30c Emb. Swiss, 15c.**  
Genuine St. Gati White Embroidered Swiss (24 yards cloth only), easily worth 30c a yard, Friday at 15c.

**\$2 Spreads for \$1.39.**  
Extra heavy 12-quarter White Kanelles Bed Spreads, worth \$2.00 each, Friday for \$1.39.

**15c Buttons, 1c.**  
1,000 gross White Pearl and Ivory Buttons, up to 15c a dozen, Friday at 1c.

**15c Jaconette Duchesse, 9c.**  
3 to 15 yard mill length, Jaconette Duchesse, in any style made this season—worth 15c a yard, Friday at 9c.

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**25c Feather Matts, 7c.**  
Feather-Stitched Braid (seam covering)—in white and all colors, and fancy stitched—a great variety, worth up to 25c per piece—Friday at 7c.

**25c Oil Cloth at 10c.**  
Damask Back Table Oil Cloth (seconds) fancy and marbled designs, worth 25c a yard, in basement Friday at 10c.

# THE LINDELL, ARM IN ARMY WITH GRANT.

**ST. LOUIS.**  
New management, American and European plans. Ladies' and Gent's Restaurant north end of rotunda. Popular prices. Barber shop and Turkish bath on all sides.  
JNO. F. DONOVAN, Prop.

**CITY NEWS.**  
Dr. E. G. Chase.  
Sixth and Locust. Set of teeth, 18.

**TRACY'S VISIT TO MORTON.**  
A Denial That It Was Connected With the Vice-Presidency.

# ARM IN ARMY WITH GRANT.

**GEN. LONGSTREET GAVE PROOF THAT THE WAR IS OVER.**  
**FRED AND ULYSSES POPULAR.**  
Sons of the Old Commander Are Being Lionized and Have Booms for Second Place.

A symptom of the healing of old wounds is a little episode that occurred Wednesday night.

Col. Fred Grant and Gen. Longstreet, the grizzled Confederate leader, walked arm in arm out of the Lindell Hotel and attended a social function together.

They laughed and chatted as they went—the son of the great Federal leader and the old war horse of the Confederacy. The spectators looked on in wonderment, but had no criticism to make, for they thought that it was good and pleasant for brethren to dwell together in unity.

Col. Fred Grant and his younger brother, Ulysses S. Grant, are attending the convention, and are the observed of all observers wherever they go.

Among the ranks and file of the older Republicans there is an undying affection for the Old Commander. They never forego an opportunity to show their respect for the memory of the man who led them to martial and political victory, so it is not surprising that the two "Grant boys," as they are affectionately called, have been the recipients of marked attention since their arrival in St. Louis. Veterans who followed the General's colors through many a thick and bloody fight struggle through dense crowds in the hotel lobbies to grasp the hand of one or the other of his sons.

This homage is unobtrusive by the brothers, for they are not in attendance at the convention. Their resemblance to their father is so striking that they are known wherever they go and cannot escape the greetings which are showered upon them from all sides.

Though neither of the "boys" has ever taken a conspicuous part in national politics, both are prominently mentioned as candidates for the Vice-Presidency. Both are favorite sons—Ulysses, of California, and Fred, of New York.

With characteristic modesty neither of them is making an active canvass for the office. They are both men of a high character and are considered as good as some of the others in the field.

Another trait about them is their self-sacrificing disposition. Each contends that he is not a Vice-Presidential possibility, but because the other is and would make a strong candidate.

Though the brothers are strikingly alike in their resemblance to their distinguished father, they are very different in their dispositions.

Col. Fred Grant started much of his father's martial spirit and strategic ability. At the battle of the old Fort Mifflin, he was the first to lead his men into the fight. He was the first to be wounded. He was the first to be taken prisoner. He was the first to be released. He was the first to be promoted. He was the first to be made a general. He was the first to be made a lieutenant general. He was the first to be made a full general. He was the first to be made a field marshal. He was the first to be made a marshal of the army. He was the first to be made a marshal of the empire. He was the first to be made a marshal of the world.

# HEAVEN'S WEPT OVER MCKINLEY.

**THE TEARS DRENCHED THE COLUMNS OF THE TIN DEITY.**  
**PARADE AN UTTER FAILURE.**  
It Was a Bedraggled Lot of Marchers, Lacking Unity, and Awakening No Enthusiasm.

Neither the bands nor the beer could stir the McKinley parade last night into a semblance of enthusiasm. It was an utter failure—a pitiful spectacle in the interest of a man who, Mark Hanna would have you believe, is the hero of the nation.

It was in keeping with the entire convention. A parade of McKinley men was ordered by the host of the convention. The clubs turned out, trudged almost solemnly through the streets in scattered, disorderly bands and were not in their hearts as brightly as in campaigns of old, but that was not the fault of the parade. The parade was not the fault of the parade. The parade was not the fault of the parade.

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# WAR OF THE ROSES.

**Hosts of Red and McKinley Wear Flowers of Different Colors.**  
The contest between the supporters of McKinley and Reed at the Southern developed into a "war of the roses." It came about through the scheme of a shrewd faker.

In the west corridor he set up shop with his flowers and his labels, a golden rose, first propagated in Ohio for McKinley, and a white rose, representing youth, he said, for Reed. The white rose was a white rose, and the golden rose was a golden rose.

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# WHY HE OPPOSED SILVER.

**Didn't Want the Miners Putting Up Private Mints in Their Yards.**  
He was a roofer for McKinley. There could be no doubt of that, for his wide and many chest was profusely adorned with various Ohio and other McKinley emblems, and from his watch chain hung a particularly large "lucky buckeye." He carried a tin case, and his whole bearing indicated that he was in the band wagon.

The most conspicuous thing about him was his badge, proclaiming his belief in the gold standard. Next to that in point of prominence came his mouth. That was a copious affair, which when once started would run as gaily and independently as an alarm clock. That mouth was his pride and joy, and he used it whenever the slightest occasion presented itself, and when none arose he was equal to the emergency and made one.

He evidently thought he was a cracker-jack when it came to a debate on "the silver question." He was a roofer for McKinley. He was a roofer for McKinley. He was a roofer for McKinley.

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# ST. LOUIS FAIR.

**FAIR GROUNDS TO SIX HIGH-CLASS RACES.**  
Admission, Including Grand Stand, \$1.00.

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CROWDED NIGHTLY.  
To-Night, "OLIVETTE."  
SUPERB CAST.  
DAZZLING COSTUMES.  
Tickets on sale at Allen's, 7th and Olive, and all leading hotels. Next week, "The Red Fox."

**STANDARD.**  
To-Day at 2:15 p. m. To-Night at 8:15.  
SAM T. JACK'S  
Orange Blossoms.  
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AT GRAND AV. AND HERBERT ST.  
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**SAP.**  
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# BURIAL PERMITS.

Charles Fish, 5 months, 3535 Lafayette st.; m. pneumonia.  
George Miles, 1, 2223 Gravois av.; gastro-enteritis.  
Peter C. Oesterly, 4 months, 1280 S. 3d st.; m. pneumonia.  
Arthur Dettler, 6 months, 2808 Dodder st.; gastro-enteritis.  
Unknown man, 60, 4447 Eager st.; debility.  
Parsons King, 2 months, 1283 Laclede av.; gastro-enteritis.  
Howard Smith, 5 months, 3535 Laclede av.; gastro-enteritis.  
Peter O'Brien, 31, City Hospital; gastro-enteritis.  
James Fadden, 8 months, 4144 Manchester av.; m. pneumonia.  
Charles Bull, 5 months, 2642 National bridge st.; cholera infantum.  
Elizabeth Kennedy, 7, 2211 Warren st.; debility.  
James Powell, 10 months, 2600 Morgan st.; m. pneumonia.  
Herman Smith, 6, 1448 Gano av.; diphtheria.  
Robert Bell Bryant, 10 days, 1313 Papin st.; cholera infantum.  
John Smith, 1 month, 822 North Market st.; cholera infantum.  
Thomas Lynch, 66, St. Mary's Infirmary; tuberculosis.  
Agnes Murphy, 5 days, 2333 Adams st.; pneumonia.  
Joseph Baker, 4, 1028 De Rodman av.; whooping cough.  
Miss Dunn, 90, 7113 S. 8th st.; senile debility.  
Mary Ann Greenlaw, 38, 7121 Minnesota av.; tuberculosis.  
Brother Brown, Jr., 4 months, 1712 Euclid av.; pneumonia.  
Florence Johnson, 6 months, 3840 Minnesota av.; tuberculosis.  
Annella Marie Lebrecht, 17 days, 1312 N. 13th st.; consumption.

# SPANISH TILES.

Merchant & Co. of Philadelphia have published a beautiful, attractive booklet, which they entitle "Overland," with the sub-title of "Castles in Spain." The book is made up of forty pages of water-color sketches. The first page shows some Spanish architecture. The next shows some of the castles of Spain. The next shows some of the castles of Spain. The next shows some of the castles of Spain.

# FILLEY DID NOT PARADE.

**He Remained Indoors for the Good of His Health.**  
Chauncey Ives Filley did not turn out in the parade Wednesday night, on account of the heavy downpour of rain. He intended to ride in a carriage with the Merchants' League Club, but the committee of his health would not permit his exposure in the damp air. The Merchants' League Club is taking good care of him in his carriage, and he is in good luck to get even with the K. K. faction.

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## GOING HOME

## IN DISGUST.

MARK HANNA'S MACHINE DOES

NOT PLEASE THE CROWDS.

LEAVING TOWN IN HORDES.

Thousands Who Expected to Come  
Not Because There Was No  
Enthusiasm—Hotels UnhappilyThousands left the city  
Monday morning.  
Thousands who were  
the National Republic  
never arrived.The scant crowd that  
a small army  
of unenthusiastic  
individuals, who were  
burdened with en-  
tire and entire  
exercises to theAt the crowded rooms give  
gloomy evidence of the disappointing  
character of the national gathering, and com-  
plaints of managers over broken contracts  
and attempts to evade them, stamp the  
present as the most spiritless of all national  
conventions.From the manner in which the advance  
guards began to come in last week and on  
Monday morning, it was thought that the  
hotels and boarding-houses would be full  
of overflowing by Wednesday. The skir-  
mishers put an end to this prospect.  
They surveyed the situation, saw that  
every detail on which any possible im-  
portant contest could have arisen in the con-  
vention had been fixed by Wall street and  
the representatives of wealth, and sent  
one word that enthusiasm was an un-  
known quality and entirely unnecessary to  
a plan of the money kings.They saw that all opposition to the nomi-  
nation of William McKinley and the adoption  
of a gold standard platform had been  
throttled in advance and that it would be  
useless for the adherents of other candi-  
dates and other principles to appear on  
the field.Reports of the stagnant conditions were  
sent home by the delegates. The delegates  
had planned to attend the convention and  
whoop things up for McKinley, Reed, Mor-  
ton or Allison reconsidered their determi-  
nation. Political clubs which had contracted  
in advance for accommodations at the hotels  
calmly violated their contracts without any  
unpleasant by the stains of tobacco juice and  
muddy boots.Even the crowds on the streets do not  
present the riotous and enthusiastic appear-  
ance common to national conventions.It is impossible to purchase genuine en-  
thusiasm, and to this fact is attributed the  
tame character of the occasion and the fact  
that the attendance on the convention is  
limited to the number necessary to regu-  
larly carry out the demands of Wall street  
and make a slight showing of spectators.The Tippecanoe Club of Cleveland, with  
its followers, was expected to arrive in  
St. Louis 1,000 strong. As the club  
has gone but 200 are in the city. The club  
contracted for accommodations for 500 per-  
sons at the St. James Hotel. It was  
used the contract. The St. James Hotel had  
provided for 500 persons during the con-  
vention. The number of persons who  
at one time has not reached 500.At the Laclede Hotel the Tippecanoe Club  
contracted for accommodations for 200.  
Scarcely more than one hundred are here  
entertained there. Monday morning  
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has ever entered the hotel.The Lindell Hotel management prepared  
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Matters were too tame to justify it. There  
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sons. Not one arrived. Mr. J. H. Hurst  
wired the club on Monday asking when  
the rooms would be wanted. The reply  
was that the club had decided not to come.  
Matters were too tame to justify it. There  
was nothing to enthuse one.The Planters' Hotel arranged for 1,000  
guests. It is now empty. The hotel  
contracted for accommodations for 200.  
Scarcely more than one hundred are here  
entertained there. Monday morning  
of the 400. The hotel arranged for 700  
guests, and 500 is the largest number that  
has ever entered the hotel.At the Laclede Hotel the Tippecanoe Club  
contracted for accommodations for 200.  
Scarcely more than one hundred are here  
entertained there. Monday morning  
of the 400. The hotel arranged for 700  
guests, and 500 is the largest number that  
has ever entered the hotel.The Lindell Hotel management prepared  
for 1,000 guests. It has never had more  
than 700 since the convention. The hotel  
clubs which had contracted for accommo-  
dations failed to put in an appearance  
and abandoned their contracts without any  
explanation.

## WISDOM, Prudence and

Economy all

join hands in telling you to grasp

these wonderful money-saving

chances at FAMOUS FRIDAY.

Your Money Back if You Want It.

Here are Never-to-Be-Forgotten Values in  
Men's and Boys' Clothing.

N. B.—These Phenomenal Prices are for Friday Only.

## 500 Men's Suits at \$5.00.

Here's a chance to get a good, strong,  
serviceable Business suit, well made,  
well trimmed, in black or blue cheviot,  
fancy Scotch mixtures and good durable  
casement, worth \$2, \$3 and \$4; we  
also include in this lot sev-  
eral broken lines of suits  
that sold at \$12.50 and \$15,  
Friday only, your choice  
of the lot for a Y—

\$5.00

2000 Men's Suits at \$9.25.

50 different patterns to select from—  
single or double breasted sacks or  
cutaway frocks, all the  
newest and noblest  
designs of the season,  
worth up to \$16.

\$9.25

## Men's Pants at \$1.33.

500 pairs good, strong, ser-  
viceable, well-made pants  
that are sold every where at  
\$2.50, Friday only

\$1.33

## Men's Mohair Coats and Vests

In Blue, gray, brown  
or black  
just the thing for this  
hot weather, worth \$2.50

\$2.50

## 500 Office Coats,

Friday only

25c

## 1000 Linen Busters,

sold everywhere for \$1.50,  
Friday, at Famous, only

\$1.00

## Men's Overalls—1,000 pairs Brown

Overalls, double breasted  
throughout, worth \$2  
per pair, Friday only

\$34c

## Ladies' Dress Skirts.

500 Ladies' Washable Pique Dress Skirts, navy  
blue, white stripes or dots, value \$1.50  
to Ladies' Dress Skirts, black or navy brilliant  
wide, percale lined, velvet piped, new fancy  
patterns, worth \$4.50

\$2.98

Special in  
Ladies' Waists.\$1.00 Lawn Shirt  
Waists... 50c  
\$1.25 Percale, Dimity and  
Lawn... 65c  
75 dozen Shirt Waists, Lawn,  
Percale and Dimity, were \$1.50,  
\$1.75 and \$2.00,  
your choice

\$1.00

## Ladies' Linen Suits.

50 Ladies' Blazer Linen Suits, skirts 5 yards wide,  
waists 3 yards, value \$4.50

\$2.98

## Ladies' Wrappers.

200 dozen Ladies' Wrappers, indigo blue, black  
and stripes, value \$1.25, special

75c

## Children's Duck Suits.

\$1.98—FREE and absolute choice of any "Lilliputian" Duck suit in the house, ages 4  
to 14 years, in white or combination blue and white or pink and white,  
blouse or Eton style, value up to \$6.50, for

\$1.98

## REFORMERS AND POPULISTS.

## Will Try to Find Some Common

Ground for Joint Action.

Arrangements have been completed for a  
conference of a committee of the National  
Reform party, recently organized at Pitts-  
burg, and a similar committee of the Peo-  
ple's party, upon the request of the former.The meeting will be held at the Southern  
Hotel July 21, the day preceding the Peo-  
ple's Party Convention, and will have as its  
purpose the selection of some common  
ground for political action.  
The Nationalist party, which is headed  
by John P. St. John and other leaders who  
left the Prohibition party because of its po-  
sition against silver, has been invited to this  
conference, but has so far failed to reply.A beautiful life size portrait of Maj. Mc-  
Kinley is on exhibition in the show window  
of The National Cash Register Co., 830 Olive  
street. This is truly a work of art,  
and must be seen to be appreciated.

## Upton Is Pushing His Boom.

Joe Upton, the gubernatorial candidate  
from the Southwest, is doing some lively  
campaigning in the crowd is here. He  
is training with the Filley contingent and  
spends much of his time standing up for  
Missouri in "De Ole Man's" headquarters.  
He is getting much assistance from Ben P.  
Leonard of Bolivar, who has the manage-  
ment of his campaign in hand. Leonard is  
a delegate, and in the contest for National  
Committee gave his vote to Filley.

## JOKE OF A DELEGATE

Got Him in Trouble, for He Pretended  
to Be a Detective and Made  
Arrests.James J. Thomas, a Pennsylvania delegate  
to the convention, essayed the role of de-  
tective Thursday morning. He arrested  
two men and was having fun at their ex-  
pense when Officer Sloan of the Third Dis-  
trict observed them. He suspected that  
Thomas was not a detective, and when he  
inquired for his credentials the Pennsylv-  
anian declined to produce them. Officer  
Sloan then marched the trio to the Police  
Station, where Capt. Joyce listened to ex-  
planations.Dan Mullane and Robert Ryan are freemen  
at the Lindell Hotel. They said that Thom-  
as placed them under arrest. They  
thought he was an officer and started to ac-  
company him to the station.  
Detective Thomas was somewhat surprised  
at finding himself in custody. He leaned  
back, and addressing Capt. Joyce, said:  
"Why, it is all a joke. I am James J.  
Thomas, a delegate to the Republican Con-  
vention from Pennsylvania, and Alderman  
and Vice Mayor of Wilkesbarre. I want to  
be put in communication with the Mayor. I  
was out last night with a party of city of-  
ficials and we visited the Ambrose-Busch  
Brewery. The Mayor will fix things for me."It was just a little joke. I bought some  
drinks for these men. Then I told them they  
were under arrest. I did not mean it and  
only meant to scare them.  
Capt. Joyce asked to see his letters and  
he produced papers to show that he was all  
he claimed.  
Mullane and Ryan said they did not want  
to prosecute, and Capt. Joyce dismissed the  
Pennsylvanian with a sharp lecture.

## IN HIS MOTHER'S ARMS

Little Willie Buchholz Died of Diph-  
theria While Being Taken to  
the Dispensary.A pale, trembling woman, her voice choked  
with emotion and her eyes brimming  
with tears, emerged from an ambulance in  
front of the Morgue late Wednesday after-  
noon, carrying in her arms a mysterious  
something wrapped in a shawl.For several minutes she leaned over the  
precious bundle and spoke no word, but  
moaned like a dumb animal in mortal pain.  
It was Mrs. Augusta Buchholz, the  
object of her grief was the lifeless body of  
her five-year-old son, Willie.The little fellow had died in his mother's  
arms while she was in an ambulance taking  
him to the City Dispensary. She did not  
know that life had left the little body until  
she reached the morgue.Mrs. Buchholz lives with her husband, Wil-  
liam, a city employee, at 2217 Edwards street.  
Their house was unharmed by the tornado,  
but they continued to live in it.Either from their partial exposure or for  
some other reason Willie contracted diph-  
theria.About 3 o'clock Wednesday morning the  
father called on Dr. Jones of 6300 Manchester  
road and asked him to come to the house, but  
the doctor

## Famous

BROADWAY  
AND  
MORGANGOODNESS Knows our  
every day  
prices are low enough, but these  
Friday prices are lower than ever.  
Join the procession To-Morrow  
to FAMOUS.

## That Big and Busy Basement

Comes to the Front with an Array of Sterling Goods  
at Startling Prices.

## Ice Cream Freezers. China Berry Sauces. Refrigerators.

All real china, some are hand-  
painted, some have gold  
bands, sprays, etc., worth  
up to \$1.50 per dozen, choice, at  
5cANOTHER LOT—  
Much handsomer, worth up  
to \$2.50 per dozen, choice, at  
Friday, at Famous, each, 9cChina Cups and Saucers.  
All real china, in gold  
and silver decorations,  
worth up to \$1.00,  
choice, FREE PAIR, 9cTumblers.  
Imitation Cut Glass  
Tumblers, full table  
size, worth up to \$1.00  
per dozen, to close  
out Friday, each 3cWater Goblets.  
A lot of odds and ends  
worth up to 75c per  
dozen, to close  
out, each, 3cGranite Preserving  
Kettles.  
Best quality made.  
10-gallon at... 95c  
2-gallon at... 75c  
3-gallon at... \$1.39  
4-gallon at... \$1.75

Ladies' Requirements

In Corsets, Underwear, Hosiery, Parasols, etc.  
Note these prices and match them if you can.390 pair of 6-Hook Sonnette Corsets,  
in white, gray and black,  
extra long waist, value \$1.00,  
all sizes, Friday Price...

69c

450 pair of Famous Special  
Corsets, in white, drab and  
black, value 75c,  
Friday Price...

45c

25 doz. Ladies' Cambric Empire Gowns,  
handsomely trimmed with lace  
and embroidery, worth \$1.25,  
Friday Price...

69c

120 doz. Ladies' Umbrella  
Drawers, with 5 in. Cambric  
Ruffle, value 49c, Friday Price...

25c

100 doz. Children's Plain and  
Figured Cambric Dresses, size  
1, 2, 3, value 49c, Friday...

25c

75 doz. Children's Calico Mother  
Hubbard Dresses, value 25c,  
Friday Price...

15c

TWO FOR 25 CENTS.

MISSOURI IS LOST.

Leading Republicans Admit That  
With Their Gold Platform They Will  
Have No Show to Carry the State.The leading Republicans from the country  
who are not keeping up the Filley-Kerens  
fight are giving the platform their undivided  
attention and make no secret of their opin-  
ion that the redemption of Missouri will  
be instantly postponed if the silver plat-  
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that plank particle."It was the opinion at both headquarters  
the Missouri Republican party would support  
movement looking to a modification of the  
money plank.

JOLLIES THE PASSENGERS.

Elevator Boy Who Is Worth a Squad of  
Police.An elevator boy at the Planters' is an  
artist in his humble way. For twelve hours  
a day he keeps the crowds in good humor,  
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## Bargains

FOR THIS WEEK:

Infants' Dongola Button,  
sizes 1 to 6..... 50cChild's Dongola, Patent Leather Tip, spring  
heel, sizes 5 to 8..... 75cChild's Dongola, Patent Leather Tip,  
spring heel, sizes 8 1/2 to 10..... \$1.00Misses' Dongola, patent tip, spring heel, lace  
and button, sizes 11 to 2..... \$1.25Ladies' Dongola, lace and button, spring  
heel and heels, 2 1/2 to 8..... \$1.50We carry the largest stock of TAN SHOES  
in the city, both in Low Cut and High ShoesJ. & BRANDT SHOE CO., Corner BROADWAY  
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Trunks, Valises and Traveling BagsIs complete in every particular. Our line embraces  
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tition.We have about 300 Zinc Trunks, slightly  
damaged by the cyclone, that we will sell from \$1 to \$6.

Regular prices from \$2 to \$10. Come in and see them.

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514 and 516 Washington Av.THE FLOWER  
CLOVER LEAF  
CLEAR  
HAVANA  
CIGARS.Ask your dealer for them, and take no other.  
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Lake Michigan and Lake Superior Transportation Co.  
LAKE SUPERIOR STEAMERS.THE GREAT LAKE ROUTE.  
Own the Best Steamship Lines.  
For Mackinac Island, Detroit, Cleveland, Buffalo, To-  
ronto, Chicago, St. Paul, Duluth, Superior, Sault Ste. Marie,  
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OFFICE AND TICKETS, 215 N. W. 7th ST. ST. LOUIS.  
Sailings (except Wed.) not in effect before June 20.

## FELL AND WAS SHOT.

Jefferson Scott's Revolver Went Off  
When He Slipped From a Car.Jefferson L. Scott will carry with him the  
mark of a bullet wound when he returns  
to his home at Independence, Mo.Since the opening of the Republican Con-  
vention Mr. Scott has been the guest of  
his brother at 221 South Broadway.While attempting to alight from a South-  
ern electric car at Jefferson avenue and  
Market street Wednesday night he accident-  
ally fell.A revolver in his pocket was discharged.  
The bullet entered his right thigh, played  
its way through several inches of flesh  
and came out near his knee cap.He was taken to the home of his brother,  
and will be laid up for several days.Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup for  
Children teething softens the gums and al-  
lays all pain, etc.

Office Men's Excursion.

The Office Men's Club will enjoy an ex-  
cursion on the steamer City of Providence  
to Montserrat next Saturday. The boat  
leaves at 1:30 o'clock. No intoxicating  
liquors will be allowed on board during the  
trip.

## Gladness Comes